

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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CHRISTIAN LOVGREN and GINA
CUNEO, on behalf of the State
of California, as private
attorneys general,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ENLOE MEDICAL CENTER, a
California Corporation; and
DOES 1 through 50, inclusive

Defendants.

No. 2:24-cv-1133 WBS DMC

ORDER RELATING CASES

CHRISTIAN LOVGREN and GINA
CUNEO, individuals, on behalf
of themselves, and on behalf of
all persons similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ENLOE MEDICAL CENTER, a
California Corporation; and
DOES 1 through 50, inclusive,

Defendants.

No. 2:24-cv-1134 DMC

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Examination of the above-entitled actions reveals that they are related within the meaning of Local Rule 123(a), because the cases involve the same parties and raise similar claims. Accordingly, the assignment of the matters to the same judge is likely to effect a substantial saving of judicial effort and is also likely to be convenient for the parties.

The parties should be aware that relating the cases under Local Rule 123 merely has the result that both actions are assigned to the same judge; no consolidation of the actions is effected. Under the regular practice of this court, related cases are generally assigned to the judge and magistrate judge to whom the first filed action was assigned.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the actions denominated Lovgren v. Enloe Medical Center, 2:24-cv-1133 WBS DMC, and Lovgren v. Enloe Medical Center, 2:24-cv-1134 DMC, be, and the same hereby are, deemed related. The case denominated Lovgren v. Enloe Medical Center, 2:24-cv-1134 DMC, shall be reassigned to Judge WILLIAM B. SHUBB and Judge DENNIS M. COTA. Any dates currently set in the reassigned case only are hereby VACATED. Henceforth, the captions on documents filed in the reassigned case shall be shown as Lovgren v. Enloe Medical Center, 2:24-cv-1134 WBS DMC.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court make an appropriate adjustment in the assignment of cases to compensate for this reassignment.

Dated: April 24, 2024


WILLIAM B. SHUBB
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE